## **HOUSE RESOLUTION 48**

## By Bass

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kelly Flannagan, 2011 Valedictorian of Giles County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kelly Flannagan is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2011 graduating class at Giles County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Kelly has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Kelly has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, she graciously donates her time and energies to various organizations, including the Spanish Club and serving as the vice president of the HOSA; and

WHEREAS, Kelly's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, on July 5, 2011, Kelly will attend basic military training for the United States Air Force at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas. Upon completion of her basic training, she will attend technical training at Keesler Air Force Base in Mississppi and will become an air traffic controller in the Air Force; and

WHEREAS, Kelly plans to eventually become an officer in the Air Force and she hopes to retire after twenty years of distinguished service; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Stacy Flannagan and Neal Flannagan, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Kelly Flannagan's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2011 Giles County High School Valedictorian, Kelly Flannagan, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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